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WASHINGTONVILLE LOCAL GLEANINGS

By Peter M. Herold.

Frank Moff has bought an auto. Jos. Woods and wife spent Sunday in Salem.

Miss Minnie Winrow was home from Salem Sunday.

This week is the Easter vacation for our schools.

Miss Alice Platt is playing upon a new piano, purchased in Salem.

Wm. A. Cox, wife and son spent Sunday with her parents in Sebring.

Joseph Barrow is a candidate for infantry director of Columbiana county.

Frank Lewis and wife of Philadelphia were Sunday guests of Mrs. Hannah Stouffer.

Rev. D. L. Clark was greeted by fair-aided audiences Sunday, morning and evening.

Mrs. Joe Barrow and daughter, Miss Lena, are visiting relatives south of Lisbon.

Miss Anna Brady spent the past week in Pittsburgh with her sister, Miss Lizzie Brady.

Harvey Beck and wife (nee Retta Howell) of Columbiana spent Sunday at the home of J. E. Gilbert.

Jos. Walright, wife and children of Lisbon spent Sunday here with the Bostons and the Bowers.

Dan, Lehman and Henry Calvin have installed acetylene light plants in their homes, north of town.

Mrs. James E. Snyder and daughter Julia of Wellsville are spending the school vacation with relatives here.

Wm. Snyder, wife and children of Salem spent Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. R. Lewis, on High street.

Jos. Cox, sr., and wife, Mrs. S. C. Wilson and daughter Epha and Kathryn attended a moving picture show in Salem Saturday night.

There is a strip of road between Eugene Vignon's and the cross roads at Charles Lixou's which needs grading by the two owners.

J. D. Smith will introduce steam power at his mine and will sell his two gasoline engines. See the "Harp of Various Things" column.

Miss Edna Tourdot, employed in the first M. E. parsonage at Canton, was home Sunday, and returning was accompanied by her sister Mary.

Misses Edith and Nona Baker and their gentlemen friends from East Palestine spent Sunday at the home of their grandmother, Mrs. Oretta Reed.

Abel Tourdot's sale of household goods Saturday afternoon was well attended and the goods brought fair prices. James W. Simpson was auctioneer.

St. Senheiser has moved into part of the property of his mother-in-law, Mrs. E. Stouffer, leasing his own house to be occupied by Richard Dunn of Millville.

The up-town and the Stumpdown boys played a game of ball in F. L. Stouffer's field Saturday afternoon, scoring 23 for Stumpdown and 26 for the up-town boys.

I. F. Mellinger of Leetonia bought the timber on the Coy farm, north of town and Samuel Longenecker has his sawmill located upon it getting out saws and other lumber.

Assessors on Wednesday received from Auditor Coburn at Lisbon blanks and instructions for making the annual assessment. Next Monday assessors begin their work.

At the sale of the Chandler livery stock in Leetonia on Saturday S. J. Brain bought what is thought by many to have been the best horse in the stable. Sld always tries to get the best stock going.

In order to have a good and handy supply of water for his house and barn, F. L. Stouffer will build a reservoir on the hill southwest of his dwelling and furnish it with pure water by means of a hydraulic pump.

We can predict some encouraging crop reports since Frank C. Boston has bought 25 acres of the Wm. Bates farm and David Klingensmith has bought 14 acres from Roy Grim, both tracts of land being east of this village, where they can get the first rays of the morning sun.

Some reckless persons started a forest fire on two occasions in Henry Lehman's woods during the past two weeks, burning leaves, grass and a pile of cut timber. Had it not been for a neighbor's telephone, the loss might have been greater. The woods will be more closely watched hereafter.

Friday afternoon was observed as Arbor day by our schools. Appropriate literary exercises were rendered in the school building. Miss Ruth Bossert presided at the piano, who solos were sung by Misses Marguerite DeJone, Stella Matzenbaugh and Lilian Dalrymple, and for the songs by the school. Miss Ella Girard read the History of Arbor day. A recess was then taken to plant maple trees upon the play ground; after which a fire drill was had, which closed the winter term, and a vacation of one week was given. An entertainment consisting of a 5-act drama entitled "Under the Laurels" and a farce "Try It On" will be given for the benefit of the school Friday and Saturday night, April 8 and 9.

A mass meeting of miners was held in the Institute Saturday forenoon, but no formal action was taken relative to local conditions, those questions being left to the sub-district officials. Percy Tetlow, the retiring president, being well acquainted with the status of affairs in the No. 8 seam, will take the matter before the executive board for action, and when the operators and miners sign the two-year agreement the mines will resume operations as usual, as the lake trade is now open and there promises to be a good demand for our local output. Much, however, will depend upon the settlement in the Hocking valley, the base of operations in Ohio while these sub-district articles are being cared for the pumping and timbering of mines will continue so as to have the mines in good working condition when the men are ready to work.

J. C. Herbert was in Salem Tuesday morning.

Ambrose Cobedesh was here Sunday from Canton.

C. E. Bennett's dwelling is being beautified with paint.

Attend the school entertainment Friday and Saturday nights.

D. M. Stouffer of Leetonia was here Tuesday evening calling on friends.

H. H. Geis and wife spent a few days with relatives in New Dublin.

August Matty was in Lovellville Monday seeing his father-in-law who is ill.

Layton DeLor of the Ft. Wayne Ry. visited his best girl here over Sunday.

There is talk of organizing a baseball team here soon. We have the material.

Mrs. Walter Smith and son are spending this week with her parents in Greenford.

John Simpson and wife of Cleveland spent Sunday here at the home of his mother.

The Mahoning Presbytery will convene in Lisbon Monday and Tuesday, April 11 and 12.

Dr. C. W. Cowan and wife have returned after four months sojourn in Tuscarawas county.

This is cleanup week in Leetonia. When will the work begin in her sister village to the north?

Geo. Lentz and family of Salem spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Carrier.

Chas. Blackburn's crew on the Erie has been given a lay-off until the shipments of coal increase.

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Mrs. George Summerville was in Youngstown Saturday and Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. R. Taylor.

Mrs. E. E. Felcht and son Harry spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents, Samuel Bilger and wife, in Youngstown.

Ex-Mayor O. C. Stiver of Leetonia has returned from an extended western trip. He left here last June accompanied by 15,000 miles of travel.

Mrs. Elizabeth Boyd, 78, died near Mechanicstown, Carroll county, last week Monday. She was a sister of Mrs. Matilda Johnson of Washingtonville, who attended the funeral.

Mrs. Amelia Thompson of Salem has been here the past few weeks caring for her children who had measles. Her son Howard of the Buckeye Works came in on Saturday to visit them.

Mayor Hinchliffe of Lisbon, fined O. E. Harris \$250 for selling booze in Lisbon. Judge Hoar set it aside because it was not proven that Lisbon is in dry territory. If this is not a joke it is very stupid.

The census enumerators for this locality are Thos. P. Sammon and A. F. Hephner of Leetonia. Included in this list for Columbiana county are three ladies, Laura Schilling and Cora Schwartz of Salem and Zola L. Crockett of East Palestine.

The case of Laird V. Camp vs. Judge C. H. Herr, in which the plaintiff sought to collect \$25,000 damages for the alleged alienation of Mrs. Camp's affection, occupied all last week in the court at Lisbon. The jury disagreed 8 to 4. W. S. Anderson of Youngstown and C. S. Speaker of Lisbon were the principal lawyers in the case.

After having the paint upon their houses destroyed by sulphur fumes from a slate dump upon the Ambler farm, property owners at Lisbon applied to the state board of health at Columbus, and Secretary C. O. Probst has sent back word that sulphur fumes are injurious to health. That it is destructive to paint is self-evident here in Washingtonville, but that it injures health is a new fact in materia medica.

Mayor Hinchliffe was elected Mayor of Lisbon on a reform platform and promised to clean up the town. He has been in office three months, and according to the records of this length of time and has assessed fines to the amount of \$1,963. One case, in which a fine of \$350 was assessed, was reversed by common pleas court, and this amount is not included in the total presented. In 15 cases fines amounting to \$500 were suspended and defendants placed on parole. The total amount collected is \$1,363.

Mrs. R. E. Schaffernocker was at Greenford Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. Henry Rhodes, who was born upon a farm west of Greenford the third of April, 33 years ago. Her maiden name was Mary Stahl. She is the mother of seven children, six of whom are living; Mrs. R. E. Schaffernocker and Mrs. Alice Eyster.

Mrs. Henry Rhodes.

of Washingtonville, T. O. Rhodes and Miss Barbara Rhodes of Pittsburgh, John and Lydia Rhodes of Greenford. There are 15 grandchildren and 19 great-grand children. She is remarkably well preserved and active for one of her years, and has transmitted health and activity to four generations. In the language of the 23rd Psalm: "Surely goodness and mercy hath followed her all the days of her life."

A slight fall of snow Thursday morning.

W. H. Brothers of Salem is here learning telegraphy under A. L. Taylor.

Tony Pasich, late of U. S. navy, and Prof. Frank Heaton were in Salem Wednesday.

Fred Piller and wife of Chicago Junction are visiting at the home of his mother, the mother of Mr. Piller.

Job Hutchinson is improving his property by introducing gas and water into the house, and building a cement front walk.

Supt. J. F. Geiger of the Canal Dover schools has been secured to deliver the class address here at commencement, June 9.

Geo. Watson dressed a 200-pound porker Tuesday for Mrs. Candie and worked it all into lard and sausage, after the Italian custom.

Samuel Washington is doing the big job of the boiler room at Delmore mines, where mining machines are being installed.

The M. E. Church trustees were in session Tuesday afternoon relative to repairing the old church out of the money willed them by Miss Lizzie Robbins.

Richard Wilkinson met with the other assessors of Columbiana county at Lisbon Wednesday to get blanks and oral instructions from Auditor Coburn.

Robert B. Maxwell has bought 20 acres of the Dawes farm from Chas. Hilliard at \$20 per acre. If Bob keeps buying he will own to the watering trough at the X-roads.

My old friend, L. M. Barrick, J. P., late of the 126th O. V. I., died unexpectedly at his home in Canton, Sunday, in compliance to his wishes the body will be cremated Sunday.

An automobile put the "kibosh" on Platt's dog Wednesday morning, and the canine never knew what hit it. As a result, there has not a dog barked on Main street since. One dog less for the assessor.

The Columbiana basket works have been sold and dismantled. J. D. Smith and sons bought the engine to be used at their coal mines for and boilers and brought them here power for the electric mining machines.

W. D. King of this village, who has been representing the W. H. Mullins company of Salem at the National motor boat and engine show in Chicago, has favored me with a catalogue of 64 firms represented at the show. A good musical program was rendered for the entertainment of all in attendance.

In a collision of M. V. cars Monday night on the Bolin hill, near Niles, wrecked both cars and injured 18 people, some of them badly and one fatally. Chas. L. Dickinson, a motorman, who for years was a brakeman on the M. & L. railroad, had one leg broken in three places and internal injuries were such that death resulted Tuesday night. His wife and two children survive. The remains were taken to Lisbon for burial Thursday afternoon.

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